

FULL INQUIRY
ON GRAIN TRADE
IS ENDORSED BY
LEGISLATURE

Resolution Presented by W C. Smith Gets Unani- mous Support

CHARGES CRITICIZED BY HON. J. R. BOYLE

With dissent, the legislation Monday afternoon adopted the resolution of W. C. Smith Redcliffe, asking that a full and complete inquiry into the grain trade of Canada be instituted by the federal and provincial governments concerned, the vote being preceded by admissions from various speakers that the Dominion investigation already authorized by the federal government would likely cover the field and that the Alberta resolution could have little more than supporting effect.

Sensational charges against the leading grain companies of the West which were voiced by W. C. Smith through an affidavit of W. H. Morrison, Edmonton, came in for criticism at the hands of Hon. J. R. Boyle, Liberal leader, and were referred to by Attorney General Brownlee.

as allegations which should be supported by more facts before criminal action was started by the Crown against corporations with long-established business reputations.

"If these charges are true, and I hope sincerely they are not, that all the grain operators in the west but Mr. Morrison of Edmonton, are perjurers, thieves and blackmailers," declared Mr. Boyle, "then we have reached a serious state of affairs. If they are a fact then the farmers of the west had a narrow escape when many of them saw precious wheat

being approached last fall to become members of the wheat board. If we believe these statements then Mr. H. W. Wood was the only honest man approached. "Mr. Boyle suggested that the whole matter was a 'family row' between the U.F.A. and their erstwhile friends, the United Grain Growers, and hesitated to 'take sides,' although in favor of the resolution.

Blames Farmers Themselves
Dr. J. J. Stewart, Lethbridge, (Conn.) charged that the failure to have a full inquiry into the grain trade in 1921 could be laid at the doors of the farmers themselves because they had upheld the action of the U.G.C. in filing the injunction on behalf of the Winnipeg grain exchange which put an end to the inquiry authorized by the Dominion

When the house opened for the week Hon. J. R. Boyle took vigorous exception to what he termed was another attempt of the government publicity commissioner to "give garbled reports" of the proceedings of the house in the Weekly News Bulletin. He claimed, as he had claimed one year previously on the same matter, that if the government desired to obtain publicity of the

legislature proceedings other than that given in this daily newspaper they should do so at their own expense and not use public funds for the purpose. Past governments had relied on the newspapers and he wanted to know if the policy was to be changed in spite of the assurance given by the premier one year before that the weekly news bulletin would not continue to "report" the members of members.

Hon. Mr. Hoadley contended that the "summarising" of government news had been appreciated by the country and the expenditure was amply justified. Premier Greenfield stated that the assurance he had given twelve months before still held good regarding "reporting" the proceedings of the house in the government publicity bulletin, but he claimed that the bulletin had been great-

W. M. Davidson, Calgary, rather startled the house when he inquired of the government as to their information regarding the proposed provincial tax which Manitoba may impose on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange operations, pointing out that this would mean a direct tax on the proposed wheat board which the

Premier Greenfield said the first intimation of the matter he had received had been in the morning newspaper. He was communicating with Premier Bracken regarding the proposal without delay.

The Hay Lakes Drainage district bill was given second reading without opposition, this involving a government vote.

tion, and guarantee of approximately \$40,000. To H. G. Tobin, Le-duc, the minister of railways, Mr. Smith, said that none of the rate-payers had registered opposition to the scheme.

Hon. George Hoadley

Hon. George Hoadley continued the debate on the grain trade inquiry resolution, briefly contending that he motioned before the field show-

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V.L. of PARADISE

by Anne C. Lee

BEGIN HERE TODAY
John Hannon, wealthy ranch owner, the blind wife, Belle, and their beautiful daughter, Val, live happily together in Hannon's wonderful ranch home. Paradise. Hannon is the king of the West. He is owned by the master of the ranch. Val, the daughter, rides to the horse trails, and while riding on its back she saw a strange horseman on a mount amazingly like Red.

In a game at Hannon's store in town, Val's father, John Hannon, was killed by a horseman. Val's father, John Hannon, was killed by a horseman. Val's father, John Hannon, was killed by a horseman.

GO ON WITH THE STORY
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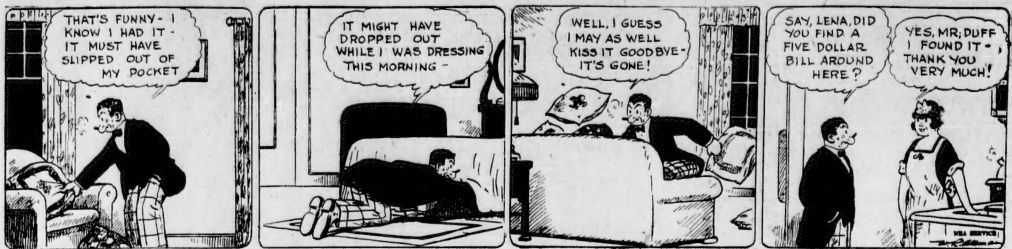
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The Bulletin's Daily Humorous Features

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

By Allman



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



OUT OUR WAY --- By Williams

OUR BOARDING HOUSE --- By Ahern



THE OLD HOME TOWN --- By Stanley

SALESMAN \$AM --- By Swan




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MEDALS COMING UP!
The local G. W. V. A. is notified the department of medals for the

RIFLE LEAGUE MEETS
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A Special Purchase 50 Homespun Skirts



Box Pleated
and Striped
\$3.95

You wouldn't think such smart all wool homespun skirts could own such a low price. You will want one for sports, office or school wear.

They are box pleated, with novelty stripes between the pleats and have detachable belts. Brown with tan and navy with pearl. 24 to 29 waists.

\$1 Art Silk Heather Hose 69c

A special purchase! So Tuesday we offer regular \$1.00 new smart art silk heather hose at 69c. Heavy and durable: seamless. Brown and blue heathers. Sizes 8½ to 10.



Wool Special at \$3.00 lb.

Spring knitters will be interested. Superior 4-ply fingering yarn, beautifully fine, soft and even finished, is decidedly good buying at this price.

Black and white only.



Termination of Sewing Contest a Week Later

Owing to the slowing up of Spring shopping during the recent cold weather and to meet the requests of a great many of our out-of-town patrons, it has been decided to advance the closing dates of our \$175 Home Sewing Contest by one week.

Thus, finished garments are to be handed in anytime between March 5 and March 10. Prizes will be awarded on March 14.

Embroidery Mill Ends 49c

Not the least of the prevailing money-savers at the Ramsey Store are these 5-yard mill ends of fine Swiss muslin and cambric embroidery edgings at 49c. Many patterns, both for women's and children's wearables. Widths up to 8 inches.

Coatings for Spring Arrive

VELOUR—All wool, 54-inch, in sand, reindeer and grey. The very best quality, with soft smooth finish.

\$2.75 Yd.

TWEED—All wool, 68-inch, serviceable and smart for suits, skirts and riding habits. \$2.00 Yd.

Garden of Cottons Opens Tuesday

THOUGH snow and ice blanket all outdoors, palm trees sway and canaries sing in the sweet scented Garden of Cottons at the Ramsey Store. Winter weary and jaded, you will delight to stroll among the glorious cotton creations, transplanted in a trice to the season of sunshine and bursting buds.

So come Tuesday to the Garden of Cottons, to bask in the sunny atmosphere of this fragrant bower, to enjoy the lovely cotton tissues and perhaps pick a bloom or two.

These Are Blooming In the Garden of Cottons

Ratines Voiles Organdies
Ginghams Crepes Vestings

Don't feel that you have to buy. Do that when you are ready. Just come and look and look—and look—

Several Hundred Pairs Men's Worsted Trousers

Regular \$3.50,
\$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00
\$3.00

A special purchase of a number of clearance lines from a manufacturer who has a reputation for making trousers of the better kind.

Good looking, serviceable, firm finished worsteds that you would pay \$3.50 to \$5.00 for in the regular way.

A half dozen neat stripe patterns to choose from, mostly in medium and darker greys. All sizes from 32 to 44.



A Sale of Earrings 15c Regular 50c

These are button-style earrings for non-pierced ears. There is a good assortment of colors including jet, maize, pearl, grey and blue. While they last—15c pair.

Glass Cream Pitchers 25c Regular 60c

Barrel shaped clear glass pitchers which hold about half a pint. You will want one at 25c.

Brown Earthenware Pitchers at 35c

These are one-quart size. They have a smooth glazed surface.

Silk and Wool Socks for Men \$1.00

About now a good many men cast about for socks of smarter character to wear through spring. These will fill the bill admirably. Fine flat knit silk and wool in brown, fawn and grey. Fit well; look well; wear well.

Wool Heather Sock \$1

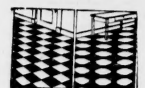


Spring Brings Linoleum Need

February Sale
Will Meet It

Where else would you buy the cheery new linoleums to brighten floors of spring but at Ramsey's where roll after roll of two-yard-wide linoleum offers wonderful choice at just

80c Sq. Yard



Cedar Mop Sets at \$1.49 Are Rare Bargains

and with spring cleaning not far distant you will get to know about them.

The set consists of one dry mop and one oil mop which may be removed and washed when dirty, plus one long handle and two 4-ounce bottles of Cedar Oil. All for \$1.49!

Cedar Oil, Regular
25c size, 2 for 25c

ON TUESDAY RAMSEY'S WILL STAGE ANOTHER EXTRAORDINARY FOOTWEAR EVENT

A Sale of 1000 Pairs Women's New Spring Low Shoes

\$2.95

In Twelve Spring Styles—Six Illustrated

A SPECIAL PURCHASE—REGULAR VALUES \$4.50, \$4.95, \$5.95

Greater than our sale which followed immediately after Christmas, in that the thousand pairs of shoes in this new collection are a notch higher on the scale of quality.

There are a dozen styles, all of them styles that will be worn this spring. The six sketched are not the pick of the sale; the other six are equally as desirable.

BELOW

Fine and soft is the black kid which fashions the smart looking, comfortable Oxford.

A variety that will provide for all tastes precludes any possibility of your being disappointed if you come reasonably early in the day.

BELOW

Fashioned on one of the very new lasts is this two-strap pump of fine black kid.

One-strap, two-strap and Oxfords in various designs. Patent leathers, kid leathers, calf leathers and combination leathers. Cuban heels, military heels and low heels. Flexible sewn soles. Blacks and browns. Sizes 2½ to 8.

Arranged conveniently on tables according to size.



ABOVE

Many women and growing girls will choose this trim one-strap which may be had in black or brown.



ABOVE

The attractive Oxford you see here may be chosen in brown calf, black kid or black patent.



ABOVE

Choose this neat one-strap in patent or brown calf. It is ideal for growing girls.



ABOVE

Fawn suede conspires with brown calf to achieve a one-strap pump of much distinction.



WOMEN'S FOOTWEAR
DEPT.—2nd FLOOR

Drop in for Afternoon Tea

Parker House Roll
Chicken Salad 20c
Tea or Coffee
Milk Roll 30c
Chicken Salad
Cake with Whipped Cream
Tea or Coffee

WOMEN'S FOOTWEAR
DEPT.—2nd FLOOR

Free Classes in Needlework

Do you want to learn to embroider, crochet or tat? If you do, attend the free classes in this work—held in the Lunch Room.

Ladies: Tuesday and Thursday, 10 to 11 a.m.
Children: Saturday, 9.30 to 10.30 a.m.